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Note to Editors and News Directors

The 14th Annual Nevada Regional Science Bowl will take place February 11-12 at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV). Thirty-two teams representing high schools in Arizona, California, Nevada, and Utah will compete in mental athletics that match their academic expertise during the competition hosted by the National Nuclear Security Administration Nevada Site Office.

WHAT: 14th Annual Nevada Regional Science Bowl

WHEN: February 11-12, 2005.

A mock Science Bowl practice will take place at 7:00 p.m. Friday in the UNLV

Bigelow Physics Building Lobby and Auditorium.

The 13-round competition will begin at 7:30 a.m. Saturday in the UNLV Classroom Building Complex. A luncheon will take place at 11:15 a.m. in the Moyer Student Union Grand Ballroom. Nathan Tannenbaum, KTNV TV-13 chief meteorologist, will serve as Master of Ceremonies. The final round of competition will begin at

4:45 p.m. and the winning team will be determined by 6:00 p.m.

WHERE: UNLV

WHY: Science Bowl was started in 1991 to encourage high school students to excel in math

and science. Teams will compete for the Nevada Regional Science Bowl title, a trip to Washington, D.C. to compete in the National Science Bowl, and prize money

ranging up to \$5,000.

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